

people in the village school, who attended in a body. The church was prettily decorated with plants and cut flowers, and the wedding march was played by Mrs. Noble. The contracting parties stood under an arch of evergreen, while the solemn words of the Episcopal marriage service, accompanied by the low strains from the organ, made them man and wife. After the ceremony the bride and groom held a reception. Later in the day the happy couple, with showers of rice, left on a south bound train for Boston and New York. Mrs. Clark, in the two years she has taught in our schools, has made a host of friends, and she takes with her the deep regard and best wishes of them all. The groom is a young man of good business ability, and by his genial manner has made many friends. Among those from out of town to attend the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Caswell, of Warren, N. H.; Mrs. Eleanor Skinner and Mr. J. Delaney of Woodville, N. H.; and Mr. and Mrs. Benton G. Skinner of St. Albans.

HOLLAND.

Arthur Paine has been on the sick list. Will Barry of Island Pond was in town last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parker's baby died December 31st.

H. W. Whipple has had a Bell phone installed in his store.

Mr. and Mrs. Winford Yates of Lowell, Me., are in town.

Mabel Waterman is visiting her grandfather, J. F. Waterman.

The families of Will Hackett, Frank Gray, and Chas. Ladd have been sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gray were called to Newport last week by the illness of Mrs. Gray's brother.

Mrs. Wm. Paine was at Derby several days last week, caring for her daughter, Eleanor, who was sick there.

At the meeting of Holland camp, M. W. of A., last Saturday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: E. G. Moulton, consul; E. E. Welsh, adviser; F. R. Moulton, banker; C. H. Smith, clerk; Edward Batchelder, escort; Elmer Miller, watchman; Augustus Lowell, sentry; A. R. Hall, chief forester; E. E. Welsh, Calvin Batchelder, W. H. Smith, managers; A. R. Hall, auditor.

IRASBURG.

Mrs. Martha McGoff is visiting friends in Montpelier.

Mrs. J. S. Willey, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Charles Miles is suffering from an abscess on his hand.

Thomas Orne of East Swanton visited friends in town last week.

Henry Willey of Holyoke, Mass., visited his mother, Mrs. Mary Willey, recently.

Next Sunday evening, Rev. E. E. Wells' subject will be "Before and After Treatment."

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cowles have moved to Alstead, N. H., where Mr. Cowles has a position in a store.

The annual roll-call of the Cong'l church will be held Saturday, Jan. 18, at 2 o'clock p. m. in the church vestry.

About forty members of Central Lodge of F. and A. M. attended the District meeting held at Barton last Wednesday and all report a very pleasant time.

The Ladies' Aid society and E. L. social held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lamon last Thursday afternoon and evening was largely attended and a most enjoyable occasion.

A drama "The Valley Farm," will be presented by members of McKinley chapter, O. E. S., of Craftsbury at Court-House hall, January 23rd. The Ironburg Village Improvement society will furnish a fish chowder supper at 8 o'clock for all who wish, and a later supper for those attending the play.

LOWELL.

Mr. Titterton is quite ill at this writing. Volney Sisco has moved into the F. H. Sanborn tenement.

Miss Maud Harding of Ludlow was a recent visitor in town.

H. D. Stannard of Barton Landing was in town Wednesday on business.

Mr. Sisco and Amasa Sweet have each had a People's phone installed in their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Debiols have returned from Boston after a few weeks' visit there.

Miss Bernice Hunter of St. Johnsbury visited her grandmother, Mrs. Omar Farman, recently.

Wallace Farman, who is attending school at St. Johnsbury, recently spent a few days at his home.

Mrs. Edgar LaClair and son Clarence returned Saturday from California, where they went for the benefit of Clarence's health.

A week of prayer has been observed at the Congregational church. Sunday, Jan. 5, four persons were taken into the church by Rev. M. L. Severance.

Mrs. Nellie Brabana has moved into the front tenement at the Corners. Mr. Abel has taken possession of the Stephenson farm which he recently purchased.

MORGAN.

Mrs. Bert Wheeler has been quite ill with chicken-pox.

Burney Cargill and S. D. Elliott have the job of rolling the roads.

Ora Burroughs is drawing logs to Newport from his lumber lot.

The lake frosts over January 3rd, the latest for a good many years.

C. C. Elliott is lumbering from his old home farm north of the corner.

Lilla Povey has had 50 head of cattle tested and all free from disease.

Celia Demick, who has been in poor health for a long time, is slowly gaining.

Geo. Young has bought a small piece of land of C. C. Elliott, which goes with his for a very conveniently.

MORGAN CENTER.

Mrs. Willie Cargill is ill.

Mrs. S. L. Blake is quite ill.

W. J. Scribner is suffering severely with neuralgia.

W. A. Atkins has gone to East Charleston to work.

Thomas Gilman's little boy Elliott is ill with the grip.

Dr. Mills of West Derby was testing cattle here last week.

John Crowe's little son Harold has been very ill the past week.

Thomas Maxwell has moved from Caswell's Mills to his farm here.

Charles Ellis is suffering from injuries received while running a sawing machine.

NEWPORT.

Geo. B. Young and son Harold are both able to be out again.

W. W. Sprague of St. Johnsbury was in town several days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gardiner spent New Year's with relatives in Lowell.

Mrs. C. F. Ranney went Friday to Penacook, N. H., to visit her son, Will.

H. F. Titus of the U. S. customs, stationed at Quebec, visited in town Wednesday.

W. E. Maloney has returned, having spent a vacation of two weeks in Boston and vicinity.

Mrs. Clara Robinson entertained eleven of her lady friends at a dinner party at her home on South street Thursday, Jan. 9.

E. F. Spaulding and family and Mr. and Mrs. Hildreth sailed Friday from New York for Florida to remain for the rest of the winter.

Howard Lindsay has withdrawn from the management of the Arlington dining room and W. C. Lindsay will continue the business.

Ice in the lake will, if present weather continues, be thick enough to harvest soon. Ice cutting for the Newport Ice company will commence when the ice is 12 inches thick.

Austin Beebe, until recently a clerk for W. M. Batchelder in the Star Shoe store, has gone to Bermuda where he will work in a hotel. He was accompanied by his brother.

Uncle Sam's Minstrels drew a crowded house, Thursday evening, all the seats in the opera house being sold in advance. The entertainment was repeated Friday evening.

Lakeside Chapter, No. 27, O. E. S., held their regular meeting Monday evening, January 6. It was decided to hold a masquerade early in February. Further particulars will appear later.

The drama, "A Diamond Belt," presented by the Theopians at the Opera hall January 3 was well received, there being a rather large audience than is usually accorded a local talent company from out of town.

At the Teachers' Institute held at the new school hall January 3 and 4 there was a good attendance, about 70 teachers being present. State Supt. Morrison of New Hampshire and other prominent educators were present.

About 75 Master Masons from Newport and vicinity attended the district meeting at Barton Wednesday of last week, going by special train which returned after the meeting was over. There was a very pleasant time and a profitable meeting.

Thomas C. Camp, of Hyde Park, Mass., until recently in the employ of the New-wood Press, will soon return to Newport, having accepted the position of assistant treasurer in the Orleans Trust company. He will begin his labors here about January 15.

E. B. True, water commissioner, is erecting an office building at his home on Summer street and will soon vacate the office used by him in the Lane & Dainell block. This change must be appreciated by the public and will be much more convenient for Mr. True.

Oscar Stanley, a C. P. R. fireman, was badly injured at the roundhouse Sunday, Jan. 5, having been caught between his engine and the end of the water tank. His collar bone was broken and he received internal injuries. He was taken to Montreal on the express for treatment.

Mrs. Joseph Hamel died Tuesday after an illness with pneumonia at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Davin, in Batesville. Mrs. Hamel had been for many years a prominent member of the Roman Catholic church here. The funeral was held Thursday morning and was largely attended.

TROY.

George Page is home from Massachusetts.

Frank Andrews is sick with typhoid fever.

Jack Drew of Glover has been visiting at A. J. Coburn's.

C. C. Davis of Newport has been spending a few days here.

Charles Manuel of Richford has been visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Broe of Albany have been visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Almon Cross is working at Judge Davis' while Miss Grace Haire is away on a vacation.

Elmer Rockwell has moved from Allen's house to Mrs. Annie Hodgkins' house on Mill Street.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. W. B. Gilpin of Westfield. Much sympathy is felt for the family in their great loss.

Cards have been received announcing the marriage on Dec. 31 of Miss Alice Skinner and Harry Clark. Mrs. Clark was a former teacher in the village school and many friends here extend congratulations.

J. J. McCarty, master of Richford grange, No. 357, installed the officers of Misses' quail Valley grange, No. 237, at Aiken's hall Saturday evening, Jan. 4. An oyster supper was served at close of installation. The officers were installed as follows: Master, Homer D. Everts; worthy overseer, Carl Chaffee; chaplain, A. S. Larrabee; secretary, Mrs. Charles Rogers; steward, Dick Kendall; assistant steward, Frank Butten; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Frank Butten; lecturer, Mrs. Florence Kendall; Flora Glenn Bean; Pomona, Veda Butten; Ceres, Mrs. Loda Chaffee; gatekeeper, Walter Morse. The next meeting of the

grange will be at Carl Chaffee's Saturday evening, Jan. 18.

WESTFIELD.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Root and child of Montpelier visited at N. Root's recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller came from Newport to attend Mrs. Gilpin's funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Seymour and Ralph Seymour have returned from Boston.

Miss Etta Wark has returned to a hospital in Montreal, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Burton Percy.

Max M. Miller returned to New York on Thursday. Mrs. Miller will remain with her father, Mr. Gilpin, for the present.

The Hon. Frank Plimley has accepted the urgent invitation to speak here on Friday evening, January 17th. Let everybody come and hear this eminent speaker. The lecture will be free. After the lecture the society will serve light refreshments for a small fee.

On Sunday morning, Jan. 6th, the community was shocked and saddened to learn that Mrs. W. B. Gilpin had passed away during the night, of probable heart trouble. When the family retired on Saturday night, Mrs. Gilpin apparently was in good health. In the morning she was lying in her bed as though sleeping peacefully, but it was the sleep that knows no waking. Hattie Farman was the daughter of the late Stafford and Mary Edwards Farman, and the thirteenth in a family of fourteen children. On April 27th, 1851, she was born in this town where her life has been spent. On December 21st, 1871, her mother died after years of ill health, so that when seventeen years old, Hattie became housekeeper for her father and unmarried brothers. On December 23rd, 1875, she married Wm. B. Gilpin, of this town. Eight children were born to them, of whom all are living except one daughter who died when about three months old. The children are Lena M., wife of Max M. Miller of Mt. Vernon, N. Y.; Minnie E., who works in the MONITOR office; Wallace H., who edits and publishes the MONITOR; Ernest W., who is a student in Barton academy, and works in the MONITOR office; Eva A., who is a student in Brigham academy at Bakersfield; Dana S., aged 16, and Hazel E., aged 10, who are still at home. Mrs. Gilpin was a faithful, devoted and self-sacrificing wife and mother, who loved her family, and ministered diligently to their wants. She was a loyal friend, an obliging neighbor, and kind and hospitable to all. In company with her husband and others, she joined the Cong'l church in 1878, during the ministry of Rev. F. B. Phelps. Not only was she a faithful member of the church, but also an important and valued member of the Ladies' Aid society. Her decease is a great loss to the home, the church and the community. Her esteemed husband, Deacon Gilpin, her seven exemplary children, her neighbors and her friends, all rise up to bless her memory. Besides her husband and seven children, she leaves to mourn her loss one grandchild, the daughter of Wallace, one sister, Mrs. C. W. Bryant of this town, three brothers, Jewett, of Edgerton, Wis., and Warren and Frank of Troy, also more distant relatives including Chaplain M. W. Farman who is a nephew. In the late summer, in company with her husband she carried out a plan to visit her brother in Wisconsin, and her daughter in New York. At Christmas time the children and the little grandchild all came home for a family reunion, which she anticipated and realized with much pleasure. The good-byes having been said, the children had returned to their homes and their schools. On the afternoon of Saturday, Jan. 4th Mrs. Gilpin went and saw her sister, who is in impaired health. That night, the week's work being done, and as it proved the life's work being finished, she retired to rest, and folding her hands, fell into tranquil slumber, to awaken in eternity. She was 33 years, eight months and eight days old. The funeral was held at the Gilpin home on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 8th, just two weeks from the reunion on Christmas day. The children, who had expected to be separated for months, were all of them home again, but how different the occasion. The house was filled with relatives and sympathetic friends. The Rev. James Ramsay of North Troy was the officiating clergyman. His prayer was fervent and beautiful. John 13: 7, "What I do thou knowest not now, but thou shalt know hereafter," was his text for a comforting and helpful discourse. He paid a very high tribute to the departed. As robed in white she lay in her handsome casket, with the dark eyelashes resting on the smooth white cheeks and almost a smile upon her face, except for the gray hairs, she looked young and fair as a girl. There was a beautiful tribute of choice flowers. Among them was a bouquet of roses from her husband; a pillow of green with the word "Mother" in the center surrounded by seven pink roses, one from each living child. The L. A. society, of which she was a member contributed a long spray of 33 carnations, one for each year of her life. The bearers were the three sons and the son-in-law. The manager was W. D. Miller. The singers were W. D. Bell and W. C. Hendrix. Mrs. E. H. Hitecock and Mrs. E. L. Miller, with Mrs. Lillian Wright at the organ. They sang "Beyond the Smiling and Weeping," "Abide with Me," and "Some-thing We'll Understand." The interment was in our cemetery. Mrs. Abbie Williams and Mrs. A. A. Hitecock of Providence, R. I., sisters of Mrs. Gilpin, came to attend the funeral, also friends from Lowell, Troy, North Troy, and Newport. "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth, saith the spirit, for they shall rest from their labors, and their works do follow them." M. W. F.

WESTMORE.

Martin Clapper and son, Merrill, visited in Newport recently.

Arthur Berwick, who has been quite ill with pneumonia, is better.

Clara Bowley and Mary Wright have returned from a several days' visit in Troy. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Nitting visited at Collins French's at West Burke last Thursday.

There will be a box party at the school-house on the west side of the lake Friday evening.

Eugene French went to West Burke Friday to see his uncle, Collins French, who is very ill.

The ladies of Westmore will give a concert Friday evening, Jan. 17, at the church, consisting of duets, solos, dialogues and readings. Proceeds will be for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid society. All are cordially invited.

CALECONIA COUNTY WEST BURKE.

Fred Woodruff of Newport was in town recently.

Vivida Larabee is ill with grip at Ira Humphrey's.

Mrs. Anna Murray has been ill with the grip the past week.

Charles Townsend is home from Barton Landing for the present.

F. H. Fraser is better again, and was able to take a short drive Friday.

C. H. Coburn attended the Masonic district meeting at Barton Wednesday.

Miss Florence Buzzell went Saturday to Sawyer's River, N. H., visiting friends.

Arthur Gaskell has been confined to the house with the mumps for the last week.

Miss Hazel Robinson of Lyndonville was the guest of Mrs. C. H. Coburn Thursday.

Mrs. A. E. Hall visited her daughter, Mrs. Clayton Hitecock, in St. Johnsbury recently.

Harry Winslow of Lawrence, Mass., visited his mother, Mrs. Julia Cummings, last week.

Miss Ruby Campbell of St. Johnsbury spent a few days with Mrs. Argie Burns last week.

Mrs. Hale and daughter Nellie are spending a few weeks with friends in Mansouville, P. Q.

Tom Mieser Marion and Julia Fisher from

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NOTICE.

My son Alfred J. Aiken, having left home without just cause, I notify all parties that I shall pay no bills of his contracted after the date Jan. 13, 1908. PETER AIKEN, Ironburg, R. F. D. 2.

Estate of Emeline L. Brown of Barton.

STATE OF VERMONT, in Probate Court Orleans District, ss. I held at Barton in said District, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1908.

F. W. Baldwin, administrator de bonis, now of the estate of said Emeline L. Brown late of Barton in said district, deceased, presents his administration account for examination and allowance and makes application for a decree of distribution and partition of the estate of said deceased. Whereupon, it is ordered by said Court, that said account and said application be referred to a session thereof, to be held at F. W. Baldwin's Office in said Barton, on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1908, at nine o'clock in the forenoon for hearing and decision thereon. And, it is further ordered that notice hereof be given to all persons interested, by publication of the same three weeks successively in the Orleans County Monitor, a newspaper published at said Barton, previous to said time appointed for hearing, that they may appear at said time and place, and show cause, if any they may have, why said account should not be allowed, and such decree made.

By the Court. Attest, B. M. SPOONER, Register.

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